

**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH**  
**ABSTRACT**

Establishment – PRED – Smt. M. Prasanna, Assistant Executive Engineer (PR) and Smt. A. Arundhathi, Assistant Executive Engineer (PR) – Selected under Limited Recruitment, 1995 – Regularisation of services with effect from the date on which regular vacancies occurred after their joining – Orders – Issued.

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**PANCHAYAT RAJ & RURAL DEVELOPMENT (ESTT.III) DEPARTMENT**

G.O.Ms.No. 427

Dated:18-10-2013.  
Read the following:-

1. G.O.Ms.No.454, PR&RD (Estt.III) Department, Dated: 7.11.1996.
2. Interim orders of Hon'ble High court of Andhra Pradesh dated: 10.2.2003 in W.P.M.P.No.3248/2003 in W.P.No.2479/2003.
3. Representation of Smt. M. Prasanna, AEE (PR) and Smt. A. Arundhathi, AEE (PR), dated: Nil.
4. From the Engineer-in-Chief, Panchayat Raj, Hyderabad, Lr.No. SO-VI(1)/35074/1996, dated:27.7.2005.
5. From the Principal Secretary, APPSC, Letter No.2719/RS-20/AEEs/96, Dated:6.11.2010.
6. G.O.Ms.No.204, Finance (SMPC.I) Department, Dated: 9.9.2011.
7. Representation of Smt. M. Prasanna, AEE (PR) and Smt. A. Arundhathi, AEE (PR), dated: 23.11.2011.
8. From the Engineer-in-Chief, Panchayat Raj, Hyderabad, Letter No. SO.III(6A)/35074/1996, Dated: 23.12.2011.
9. Govt. Memo No.814/Esst.III/A2/2003-31, PR&RD (Estt.III) Dept., Dated:19.3.2012.
10. From the Engineer-in-Chief, Panchayat Raj, Hyderabad, Letter No.SO.III(6A)/35074/1996, Dated:6.10.2012.

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**ORDER:**

Smt. A. Arundhathi and Smt. M. Prasanna were appointed as Assistant Executive Engineers (under Limited Recruitment) through the Andhra Pradesh Public Service Commission in Panchayat Raj Engineering Department during the year 1995. Subsequently, their appointments were challenged by the un-selected candidates in the Courts. As per the directions of the Courts, the Andhra Pradesh Public Service Commission has drawn the revised ranking list. In the said revised list, the names of Smt. A. Arundhathi and Smt. M. Prasanna could not find place. Accordingly, the Andhra Pradesh Public Service Commission, vide its letter No. 5254/HE/93, dt:7.10.1996, requested the Government to delete the above two names and to appoint other persons in the above recruitment. Accordingly, orders were issued in the G.O.1<sup>st</sup> read above cancelling the appointments of Smt. A. Arundhathi and Smt. M. Prasanna.

2. Aggrieved by the letter of the Andhra Pradesh Public Service Commission, the individuals filed O.A.No.6679/1996 before the Hon'ble Andhra Pradesh Administrative Tribunal and the Hon'ble Tribunal, by an order dated:8.11.1996, suspended the cancellation of appointment orders of the applicants issued by the Andhra Pradesh Public Service Commission. The Hon'ble Andhra Pradesh Administrative Tribunal, in its orders dated:26.11.2002, while observing that there is no cause of action to the applicants to approach the Tribunal, vacated the interim orders. Aggrieved by the orders of the Hon'ble Tribunal, the individuals approached the Hon'ble High Court of Andhra Pradesh and the Hon'ble High Court of Andhra Pradesh, in its interim orders dated: 10.2.2003 in W.P.M.P. No.3248/2003 in W.P.No.2479/2003, have ordered "interim suspension". Based on the interim orders of the Hon'ble High Court of Andhra Pradesh, the two individuals are continuing as Assistant Executive Engineers in the Panchayat Raj Engineering Department.

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3. In the representation 3<sup>rd</sup> read above, Smt. M. Prasanna and Smt. A. Arundhathi have requested to consider their cases sympathetically for continuation in the Department and to regularise their services. In the letter 4<sup>th</sup> read above, the Engineer-in-Chief, Panchayat Raj, Hyderabad has requested the Government to take a lenient view and to regularise their services, as they are continuing as Assistant Executive Engineers in the department for more than fifteen (15) years. In the letter 5<sup>th</sup> read above, the Principal Secretary, Andhra Pradesh Public Service Commission has stated that the Commission has taken a decision in the Commission's meeting held on 26.10.2010 to recommend the Government to accommodate the two Assistant Executive Engineers viz., Smt. A. Arundhathi and Smt. M. Prasanna in Panchayat Raj & Rural Development Department in the supernumerary posts or future vacancies as they have put in considerable length of service (nearly 15 years) and there is no fault on their part.

4. Government, after examining the matter, have issued orders in the G.O. 6<sup>th</sup> read above creating two (2) supernumerary posts in the category of Assistant Executive Engineers (PR) in Zone-VI under control of Panchayat Raj Engineering Department, in the scale of pay of Rs.16,150/- - Rs.42,590/- so as to accommodate Smt. M. Prasanna and Smt. A. Arundhathi, who are continuing in Panchayat Raj Engineering Department on court directions, till regular vacancies occur, subject to outcome of W.P.

5. Smt. A. Arundhathi and Smt. M. Prasanna, in their representation 7<sup>th</sup> read above, have stated that without their fault, they are suffering for the last (15) years without regularisation. Hence, they have requested to regularise their services from the date of joining. They declared in their representation that they will withdraw the case pending in the Hon'ble High Court of Andhra Pradesh the moment their services are regularised in their posts. In the letter 10<sup>th</sup> read above, the Engineer-in-Chief, Panchayat Raj, Hyderabad has stated that Smt. A. Arundhathi and Smt. M. Prasanna were appointed under Limited Recruitment 1995 against backlog vacancies arose from the recruitment of Andhra Pradesh Public Service Commission 1992 batch; that the regular vacancies against which they were appointed are not yet filled during the recruitments made by Andhra Pradesh Public Service Commission during 1997 and LR 2001-02, which is the last recruitment made through Andhra Pradesh Public Service Commission and; that they are continuing as such, in the department against their regular vacancies for the last (17) years.

6. Government, after careful examination of the matter and having regard to the circumstances of the case and the report of the Engineer-in-Chief, Panchayat Raj, Hyderabad, have decided and accordingly hereby permit the Engineer-in-Chief, Panchayat Raj, Hyderabad to regularise the services of Smt. M. Prasanna, Assistant Executive Engineer (PR) and Smt. A. Arundhathi, Assistant Executive Engineer, who are continuing on court directions for the last (17) years, with effect from the date on which regular vacancies that occurred immediately after their joining in the department, subject to outcome of W.P.No.2479/2003 and also subject to fulfilling other conditions of Service Rules governing the post of Assistant Executive Engineer (PR).

7. The Engineer-in-Chief, Panchayat Raj, Hyderabad shall take further necessary action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

V. NAGI REDDY  
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

- 1) The Engineer-in-Chief, Panchayat Raj, Hyderabad.
- 2) The individuals through the Engineer-in-Chief, Panchayat Raj, Hyderabad.

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Copy to:

- 3) The Secretary to Andhra Pradesh Public Service Commission, Nampally, Hyderabad.
- 4) The Accountant General, A.P., Hyderabad.
- 5) The Director of Treasuries and Accounts, A.P., Hyderabad.
- 6) The Pay and Accounts Officer, Hyderabad.
- 7) PS to M(PR&RWS).
- 8) PS to Prl. Secy. (PR).
- 9) Sf/Sc.

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SECTION OFFICER